Letters

Stratton seeks support for Cancer Crusade

To The People Of Appomattox County

Once again April is here and we will be having our annual Cancer Crusade. In the past our Crusades have been a success only because of the faith and goodwill shown to our unit by the people of our county.

It is interesting to note that 40 percent of all contributions will go to research, medical grants and other services, in Virginia alone last year we had over 2 million dollars come back to the state in grants divided among the University of Virginia, Medical College of Virginia, and The Eastern Va. Medical School. The rest of your donation assisted in areas of public education. professional education, patient services, community service, fund raising with only 5 percent allotted for management - the lowest of any non-profit health organization.

What we collect this year will directly affect the assistance and services which we can give to you. I say give because any services you receive is of no charge. These services include items such as: the loan closet, which has wheelchairs, hospital beds, commodes, and other medical supplies; volunteer transportation, information and referral, emergency financial assistance, and recovery assistance. We also sponsor events like the Oral Clinic, Skin Clinic, Stop Smoking Program, all free of charge, and a Stool Blood Screening at a very minimal charge.

This year we have set a goal of $7200.00 which we feel confident that we can meet with your help. We thank you for your generosity in the past and we ask for your help again during the month of April when a crusade volunteer calls.

Sincerely,
G. Daniel Stratton
Crusade Chairman
Appomattox Unit of the American Cancer Society

A bitter lesson

Editor:

When city people move to the country, we have many lessons to learn. A bitter lesson for us to learn and accept is the little value placed on animal life.

For the second time in three months, we find ourselves with four abondoned puppies. Last Christmas four were dumped at our gate in the bitter cold. This time my husband was about to throw the trash into the dumpster on Rt 633 when he saw five puppies in a bucket. The one on the bottom was dead. He couldn't turn his back on something alive and helpless.

What is the matter with people? We have a fine dog warden, Dennis Wilkerson, who will try to find homes for or dispose of unwanted animals. The problem pups get dumped. The real problem is unspayed females and irresponsible owners. Why doesn't the county underwrite a spraying clinic? It would save money in the long run. Let's put a stop to this inhumane treatment of unwanted animals.

Our yard is full of pets no one else wanted. We can't feed any more. Won't someone come forward and give one of these pups a home? Please call us at 352-8864, or contact Dennis Wilkerson through the Sheriff's Office.

Sincerely,
Mrs. R. C. Helwig

Anderson to run

Editor:

I am today announcing my candidacy for re-election to the Senate of Virginia, representing the 18th Senatorial District composed of the Counties of Appomattox, Buckingham, Campbell, Charlotte, Halifax, Lunenburg, and Prince Edward and the City of South Boston, subject to the Democratic Primary Election of June 14, 1983.

It has been my privilege to serve in the Senate of Virginia for the past twelve years and prior thereto, I served several years in the House of Delegates. During this time, I have tried as best I could to represent our area in a conscientious manner. I have consistently voted my convictions of what I consider to be in the interest of sound, conservative and responsible government for Virginia, and I believe that those same convictions are shared by the great majority of the citizens of the 18th Senatorial District.

Much of the work of the Senate is done in its committees, and it has been my good fortune to be selected to serve on five committees of considerable importance to our District and State. It is through these committees: Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources, which I have the privilege to Chair, Courts of Justice, Finance, Privileges and Elections and Rules, that much of the legislation affecting the daily lives of our people passes. I feel that I am in a position to exercise considerable influence on such legislation.

I sincerely hope my performance in the past will merit my return to the Senate next year and I pledge my continued adherence to integrity and responsibility in government.

Sincerely,
Howard P. Anderson

Outrage expressed

To The Editor:

I would like to express my outrage at the lack of consideration displayed by drivers who hit the cars of shoppers at Triangle Plaza Shopping Center, without leaving an address or phone number for follow-up action! What happened to my white 1978 Dodge Aspen (license UTC-133) on Friday night, April 1, near the Food World entrance, was in sharp contrast to the otherwise friendlines and goodness I've seen in Appomattox.

Sincerely,
Richard Austin

Local women receive certificates for class

Certificates were presented to eleven local women who have successfully completed a Personal Care Aide Class, coordinated by the Appomattox County Volunteer Service. The presentation was made on March 29 at ceremonies held in the Virginia Cooperative Extension Service Area Office on Court Street.

The class followed the State Health Department guidelines which requires 40 hours of classroom and practical work with emphasis on the care of the elderly.

Instructors for the course were Mrs. Willie Young, RN.; Mrs. Rebecca Rosser, R.N.; Mrs. Brenda Richardson, R.N.; Mrs. Anne P. Harris, R.N.; Mrs. Ginny Pedison, Registered Physical Therapist and Mrs. Shirley Walton, Home Economist. Practical work was done at Babcock Manor, Home For The Elderly and at the Spout Spring Home For the Aged.

Horace Coleman, member of the Appomattox County Board of Supervisors, presented certificates to the following: Barbara Cobbs, Wilsie Cobbs, Dorothy Davis, Ann Duff, Fiapulo Doss, Mae Guill, Linda Harrison, Beatrice Moorman, Shirley Lyle, Juanita Pankey and Ellen Randolph.

Following the presentation, a reception was held for graduates and their guests.

Appomattox Assembly to meet

The regular meeting of the Appomattox Assembly will be held on Friday, April 8 at 7 p.m. in the Appomattox Middle School Annex. All members are urged to attend.

80. Notices

(Continued from 13)

Regulation R17-17, setting the bag limit for fox squirrel, is hereby rescinded.

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Add to Chapter 17, following regulat i o n R17-18, a new Article 3 entitled "Bag Limit."

Add a new regulation to be numbered R17-19 to read as follows:

The combined bag limit for all squirrels shall be six a day and seventy-five a license year in the aggregate.

CHAPTER 18. Turkey.

Amend Regulation R18-2.2 to read as follows:

It shall be lawful to hunt bearded turkeys only from April 14 through May 12, 1984, both dates inclusive, and from April 13 through May 11, 1985, both dates inclusive, from one-half hour before sunrise to 11 o'clock a.m. Bearded turkeys may be hunted by calling. It shall be unlawful to use dogs or organized drives for the purpose of hunting.

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Amend Regulation R18-4 to read as follows:

The bag limit for hunting turkeys shall be one a day and two a license year, either sex during the fall season.

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Amend Regulation R18-6(c) to read as follows:

Upon killing a turkey and tagging same, as provided above, the licensee shall, without unnecessary delay, present the tagged carcass of his kill to an authorized checking station or to an appropriate representative of the Commission in the county or adjoining county in which the turkey was killed. At such time, the tag previously attached to the carcass shall be exchanged for an official game tag, which shall be furnished by the Commission, and securely attached to the carcass.

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Amend Regulation R18-6.1 to read as follows:

Upon killing a turkey, any person exempt from license requirement as prescribed in § 29-52 of the Code of Virginia, or issued a complimentary license as prescribed in § 29-80 or the holder of a permanent license issued pursuant to § 29-52 (3) shall, without unnecessary delay, present the carcass of his kill to an authorized checking station or to any appropriate representative of the Commission in the county or adjoining county in which the turkey was killed. At such time, the person shall be given an official game tag furnished by the Commission, which tag shall be securely attached to the carcass.

CHAPTER 19. Waterfowl and Waterfowl Blinds.

Amend Regulation R19-2 to read as follows:

A violation of federal statute or a regulation based thereunder as relates to the taking, capturing, killing or attempting to take, capture or kill any migratory game bird shall constitute a violation of this regulation. Provided, however, it shall not be a violation of this regulation to shoot a crippled duck, goose or other migratory bird upon open public waters from a motorboat while it is being propelled by a motor, nor shall it be a violation of this regulation to hunt migratory waterfowl with lead shot anywhere within the Commonwealth of Virginia when and where such hunting is permitted.

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County Line news

I hope everyone had a nice Easter. Let's remember the sick in our prayers and wish them a speedy recovery.

Supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nash Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Winifred Nash and children, Mr. and Mrs. David Carson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Nash and Todd.

Mrs. Winifred Nash and Wendy visited Mrs. Emery Dudley Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Twyman Nash and Todd visited Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Sharp Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Nash and Todd attended the Lively and Witt wedding on Saturday night in Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coleman of Lynchburg spent Sunday with Mrs. Laura Ferguson. Nice to have them at Central Church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Edwards visited Mrs. Dewitt Harvey over the week end. Glad to have Mrs. Edwards at church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mann and family of Fredricksburg, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann.

Mrs. Inez Carter and Tammy visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones and Bruce Sunday afternoon.

Loyd Nash spent Sunday in Greensboro, N.C., visiting his daughter, Tina, and also Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Howard.

Keith Mann spent the week end with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Mann, Tony and Mike.

The Beginners and Primary Class of Central Church had an Easter egg hunt at the church Monday afternoon.

Raymond and David Mullins visited Mr. and Mrs. Emery Mullins Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Mullins visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mayberry Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann visited Mr. and Mrs. Emery Mullins Sunday evening.

Mrs. Kathy Evans and girls spent Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Banton and Phillip.

Mr. Raymond Mullins and boys went to Piney River trout fishing over the week end.

Mrs. Raymond Mullins's sister, Linda, and children spent the week end with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nash and girls spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Evans, Jr.

Loyd Nash, Mrs. Elliott Nash and Dawn Derr visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cyrus and Dean Stacey and Leon Howard Thursday night.

Windy Nash spent Monday afternoon with Jennifer Nash.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Mann and Tony and Mr. Garret Bosiger attended the baseball game at Lynchburg College Monday afternoon.

4-H Club News

Mrs. Walton 4-H Club

Mrs. Walton's 5th Grade class had a 4-H meeting on March 17, 1983. The President, Shana Harvey, opened the meeting. Vicky Keen led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. Greg Fulcher led us in the 4-H Pledge. Tara Johnson and Dean Thompson led us in the game King and Queen.

The Secretary, Sonya Doss, read the minutes of the last meeting. The old business was about Public Speaking, strawberry plants, pine trees, 4-H Presentations, blue bird houses and 4-H Camp. New business was about a dairy poster contest called "It's Milk for Me" and 4-H Dog Show. The Vice President, Lori Ranson, told us the program for this month was on being a good citizen.

The president adjourned the meeting.

Sharon Jackson
Reporter

Mrs. George's 4-H Club

Mrs. George's 4-H Club held its regular monthly meeting in February. At this meeting we learned how to give speeches. Mr. Sweet said you must speak clearly, loudly and plainly. After our speeches we will get ribbons. Our 4-H meeting had been postponed from earlier date because of the snow.

The meeting was then adjourned.

Tracy Guthrie
Reporter

Lucky Clover 4-H News

The Lucky Clover 4-H Club met on November 1, 1982 at the Masonic Lodge in Pamplin. We decided to have a harvest festival on November 20. We had several games such as Bingo, Go Fish and Tic-Tac-Toe. Members worked the games. The money we raised went into our savings.

On December 6, 1982, we had our regular meeting at the Masonic Lodge and decided to go Christmas caroling on December 21. We went Christmas caroling up and down the street. One lady thanked us by playing us a song on her harmonica. Refreshments were served afterwards.

On January 3, 1983, we had our regular meeting and played the Brother-Sister Game. Several members brought their brothers or sisters with them.

On February 7, 1983, Amy Morris and Sally Inge gave their speeches they were doing for Public Speaking. All of the membrs were given score sheets. Mr. Sweet made comments to help them with their speeches.

We had our regular meeting on March 7, 1983. We talked about demonstrations and illustrated talks. Mr. Sweet showed posters older 4-H'ers had made. Strawberries will be coming in soon. Feed patch seeds will be available soon, also. Mark gave a speech about tires and their safety and recyclement of tires. It was very informative.

Now you're up-to-date with Lucky Clover 4-H news.

Latrese Lee
Reporter

Jordan news

Preaching Sunday night at 5:30 p.m. at Jordan.

The Heavenly Messengers will be singing here Saturday, April 9, at 7:30 p.m. at Jordan.

The Young Adult Choir will practice Tuesday, April 12, at 7:30 p.m. at Jordan.

April 16, will be a pancake supper at the Oakville School - 3 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., sponsored by the Young Adult Choir.

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